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RESPONSE

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Sir:

This paper is a response to the Office Action mailed September 21, 2010. A fee for a two-month extension of time is enclosed, thereby extending the deadline by which to respond to Tuesday, February 22, 2011 since Monday, February 21, 2011 is a federal holiday, namely, Washington's Birthday (or Presidents Day).

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